

**AsBAA HONG KONG COMMITTEE**

**MEETING MINUTES OF 21 MAR 2019**

**At 1630 hours at the office of TAG Aviation Asia Ltd**

**Chair:** Phil Balmer (PB) - AsBAA HK Chair/TAG Aviation Asia

**Present:**

Carling Chen	- Air BP
Sebastien Denis	- Airbus SAS
Aljoscha Subasinghe	- Asia Flight Services
Christian Mosebach	- Asia Flight Services
Patrick Bouvry	- Asian Sky Group
Dane Williams	- Aviation Safety Asia
Chris Allen	- B&H Worldwide
Maggie Wong	- ExecuJet
Cherry Lam	- Fortis Ridder
Ringo Wong	- Fortis Ridder
Chicago Shum	- Genting Hong Kong Ltd
David Mezenen	- Global Jet Asia
Ryan Chui	- Global Jet Concept
Chris Barrow	- HKBAC
Vrushali Suvarna	- Hongkong Jet
Tony Yu	- Hunt & Palmer HK Ltd
Annie Chiu	- IJM Asia
Yvonne Goh	- MedAire
Justin Yeung	- MetroJet
Jim Markel	- Sino Jet
Regina Mulready	- Six West
Cathy Tam	- Six West
Karson Wong	- TAG Aviation Asia



Minutes taken by Cathy Chiu (CC)

<b>1. Opening Remarks by: Committee Chairman</b>		
Phil Balmer (PB) welcomed everyone to the meeting.		
<b>2. Minutes of Previous Meeting</b>	Responsibility	Due Date
The Previous Minutes: 21 February 2019 were accepted.	All - For Info	N/A
<b>3. Matters Arising</b>		

<p>a) <b>Hong Kong International Airport / Greater Bay Area - Strategy for handling future traffic growth</b></p> <p><b>i) Runway Occupancy Time for Arrivals (ROTA)</b> Update from PB: Very good news - Hong Kong nights and ad-hoc slots have extended until 31 Mar 2020.</p> <p>(Refer to the latest “Notice from Hong Kong Schedule Coordination Office regarding Night and Ad-hoc Slots issued on 15 Mar 2019 by HKCAD)</p>	PB	Apr
<p>b) <b>Brexit</b> CAA letter addressed to the BizAv Community about new procedures to fly and land in the UK.</p> <p><a href="https://mailchi.mp/ebaa.org/ebaa-flash-update-brexit-caa-letter-addressed-to-the-bizav-community?e=b829875919">https://mailchi.mp/ebaa.org/ebaa-flash-update-brexit-caa-letter-addressed-to-the-bizav-community?e=b829875919</a></p>	PB	Apr
<p>c) <b>Regional updates</b></p> <p><b>i) Malaysia – Validation of Foreign Air Operators Certificate</b> (Refer to the document provided by CAAM)</p> <p><b>ii) Philippines</b> The Civil Aviation Authority of the Philippines (CAAP) is looking to increase tenfold of the rates of most of its services. Industry groups such as the Asian Business Aviation Association (AsBAA) welcomed the plan, noting that the CAAP has not raised since 1994.</p> <p>Under the new proposed rates, the issuance of annual Air Operator Certificate (AOC) would increase from PHP6,500 (\$122) to PHO62,000 (\$1,172). Domestic flights, such as demonstration or test flights, of foreign-registered aircraft will rise from PHP2,500 (\$47.35) and PHP250 (4.73) processing fee to PHP24,000 (\$454.54) and PHP2,400 (\$45.45), respectively.</p> <p>AsBAA’s position: We recommend that it be implemented in a staggered manner. User fees are being adjusted to reflect the tasks CAAP must perform to uphold international standards of aviation safety. With the increase of user fees, CAAP can now hire additional qualified and trained flight operations and airworthiness inspectors and train them well to develop and improve systems in keeping with ever-evolving international safety standards.</p>	All - For Info	N/A
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<p><b>iii) Mekong Region</b> Update from Aljoscha Subasinghe: Thailand requests flight crews to present themselves at the terminal for immigration clearance, even for quick turnarounds. Cambodia has implemented a licensing requirement for all aeronautical service providers at the 3 international airports.</p> <p>Update from Chris Mosebach: Cambodia is planning to move towards fully automated OCS slot distribution outside of office hours. Due to discrepancies between actually available parking and availability in the system, it might become more difficult to get approval on weekends, holidays, etc.</p>	All - For Info	N/A
<p><b>d) Events for 2019</b></p> <p><b>i) Bremont Boutique Watch Event (Fri, 29 Mar 2019)</b> AsBAA members are invited by honourable company of Air Pilots and AsBAA to join an exclusive pilot's networking event and enjoy some very special watches in an aviation setting. Bremont are offering 10% off on all models on the night plus entry into a lucky draw for Sevens tickets. Venue: Bremont Boutique Showroom at 1 Lyndhurst Terrace, Central.</p> <p><b>ii) AsBAA China Aviation Safety Day, Beijing (Fri, 12 Apr 2019)</b> An inaugural AsBAA China Aviation Safety Day. The date of this event lines up our others events held in the same region.</p> <p><b>iii) AsBAA Member's Reception and Networking (Mon, 15 Apr 2019)</b> AsBAA is holding its Member's Reception and Networking Event on Monday afternoon, 15 April leading up to ABACE. The AsBAA BoD/BoG meeting is scheduled on the same day, before the reception. Members who are interested in attending the reception can register via the link here: <a href="https://www.eventbank.com/event/asbaa-members-reception-and-networking-event-12574/">https://www.eventbank.com/event/asbaa-members-reception-and-networking-event-12574/</a></p> <p><b>iv) ABACE2019 (Tue, 16 Apr - Thurs, 18 Apr 2019)</b> Members are welcome to visit AsBAA booth A421.</p> <p><b>v) Singapore Business Aviation Week (Mon, 10 Jun - Thu, 13 Jun 2019)</b> It includes AsBAA Singapore Safety Day, AsBAA Annual General Meeting, Discovery events and CJI, will be held at Grant Hyatt in Singapore.</p>	All - For info	N/A

<p>This year is AsBAA Board of Directors election year. Members are invited to join us for an afternoon of presentations, networking and voting for your new AsBAA BoD. According to AsBAA Bylaws, Chairperson/VP for 2 years can run again. Any member who is interested to be considered for a BoG role in AsBAA please provide your Bio to Cathy Chiu - <a href="mailto:cathy.chiu@asbaa.org">cathy.chiu@asbaa.org</a></p> <p>vi) <b>Aviation Safety Day Hong Kong (Thu, 12 Sept 2019)</b> We are looking for speakers within AsBAA members. Details can be seen here: <a href="https://www.eventbank.com/event/asbaa-hong-kong-safety-day-12690/">https://www.eventbank.com/event/asbaa-hong-kong-safety-day-12690/</a></p> <p>vii) <b>Icons of Aviation 2019 (Sat, 2 Nov 2019) - Five Year Anniversary special</b> A masquerade ball - to be held at the Ocean Park Marriott Hotel. Tickets and Sponsorship: <a href="https://www.eventbank.com/event/10493/">https://www.eventbank.com/event/10493/</a></p> <p>viii) <b>Philippines Safety Day &amp; Pilots Day (Tue, 5 Nov 2019)</b> Detail TBA.</p>		
<p><b>e) AsBAA Discovery</b></p> <p>The latest Student Visit was held at ERAU Asia's Singapore Campus in March. Chad Thorne, the Senior Director, Sales and Marketing from Greenpoint Technologies as the first guest speaker in the series. It was the first in a series of career sessions to provide an initial insight into the variety of careers available in business aviation to the students.</p> <p>AsBAA Discovery and HKUST collaborate on MBA placement project. Business aviation recruitment specialist, Vinna Tsang from The V Executive Search managed the interview for the MBA students whom from the program will be joining the participated member's companies for 1-3 month to complete a variety of consulting project. The member's companies include Metrojet, Sino Jet, and Jet Aviation.</p> <p>Next visit: HKUST (Engineering) – 3 Apr 2019</p> <p>Hong Kong Polytechnic University (Masters in Aviation Management and Finance) - Government is supporting the program.</p> <p>ABACE2019 – Need for Chinese speakers on Day 3 (18 Apr) Luncheon (Lunch and Speed Networking: 1255-1330)</p>	<p>All - For Info</p>	<p>N/A</p>

<p><b>4. Guest – MedAire</b> Yvonne Goh, the Business Development Manager from MedAire introduces the company and its services.</p> <p>MedAire provides the best possible remote medical, security and operational support to their clients during their journey, brings the best medical expertise to first responders anywhere worldwide. Integrated solution on travel - helping clients to ease the situation in foreign country, providing ground advisory, transferring pilot to hospital when needed, and etc.</p>	All - For Info	N/A
<b>5. AOB</b>		
<p><b>a) AsBAA New Member</b> Welcome new members: Chris Allen from B&amp;H Worldwide; Carling Chen from Air BP; Dane Williams from Aviation Safety Asia; and Regina Mulready from Six West.</p> <p><b>b) HFW Spring Drinks</b> PB extended an open invitation, on behalf of HWF, to members attending to the meeting to join the drinks at Pool Lounge, JW Marriott, Pacific Place) after the meeting.</p> <p><b>c) EventBank</b> Members are encouraged to download the EventBank App. It helps members to get full-time access to your membership information. Also, we are using this platform for registration to attend all AsBAA events and meetings.</p> <p>Steps:</p> <p>i) Download the App</p> <p>ii) Create an account the same email you have provided to AsBAA and create a password</p> <p><b>For iOS:</b> <a href="https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/eventbank/id958545893">https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/eventbank/id958545893</a></p> <p>QR code: </p> <p><b>For Android:</b> <a href="https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.eventbank.android.attendee">https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.eventbank.android.attendee</a></p> <p>QR code: </p>	<p>All - For Info</p> <p>All - For Info</p>	<p>N/A</p> <p>N/A</p>

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<p><b>6. Next Committee Meeting</b></p>		
<p><b>Date:</b> 25 April 2019 (Thursday) <b>Time:</b> 16:30L <b>Venue:</b> Clyde &amp; Co Hong Kong</p>	<p>ALL</p>	<p>N/A</p>